



10-3
Attorney Docket No. CRD-949

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Robert Burgermeister et al.

Serial No.: 09/899,147

Art Unit: 3731

Filed : July 6, 2001

Examiner: J. Baxter

For : STENT WITH OPTIMAL STRENGTH AND RADIO-PACITY CHARACTERISTICS

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the
United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed
to: Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on

October 27, 2003

(Date of Deposit)

Paul A. Coletti
(Name of applicant, assignee, or Registered Representative)

Paul A. Coletti

(Signature)

October 27, 2003

(Date of Signature)

RECEIVED
OCT 31 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION DATED MARCH 26, 2003

Dear Sirs:

Please amend the above-captioned application as follows: